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Butterfly Family Festival Is Taking A Twist

Come see a LIVE butterfly release! Messiah Lutheran Church is hosting its annual Butterfly Family Festival on Sunday, April 23, 12:00-3:00 PM at 11522 Telge Road in Cypress. This year we are adding new events! Beginning at 9 am we will host multiple vendors along with our silent auction. We've added Bingo, a train ride, popcorn, cupcake decorating and a FREE Basketball game.

Yes we will have your favorites: delicious BBQ lunch, cookies, a raffle, children's carnival games, cake walk, book walk, face painting, music, inflatable slide, and bounce house. Children 12 and under will receive 3 FREE tickets. The auction will run from 9:00 am-2:30 pm. The barbecue lunch will begin at 11:00 am and can be taken home or eaten at Messiah. All games will begin at noon. Bring the whole family to see the butterfly release, eat some great food, and have some fun!

The day's events will benefit Chrysalis, A Grace Place for Children, by providing scholarships to families that attend our school. Chrysalis features a Christian preschool, after school, and summer camp programs. Chrysalis Christian Preschool admits students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin. Call 281-807-0764 or go to www.messiahlc.org/events for further information.

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Hidden Treasures at Church Wide Sale



Join us at Messiah's Church-Wide Garage Sale benefitting the youth's Summer Mission Trip. Find hidden treasures on Saturday, April 8 from 8 am to noon. We have been filling our Pod all month with great treasures.

The entire church has contributed their items from furniture, tools, games, kitchen gadgets, etc. All proceeds go to help fund our youth's mission trip to Navajo Nation, Arizona. Our youth are heading to the Navajo Nation to work in the community, doing various work projects, and lead kids programming. So come on out and support our youth!

All Ages are welcome!

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The Women Empowering Women Express Network



The Women Empowering Women Express Network (WEWEN) of the American Business Women's Association (ABWA) invites you to attend a Monthly Networking Luncheon on April 5, 2017. The luncheon will be held at Lone Star College in the West Dining Room at 20515 State Hwy 249, Houston, Texas 77070. Open Networking

begins at 11:00AM, followed by an informative program and lunch from 11:30AM-1:00PM. This month's program features Gaylyn DeVine, President for the American Business Women's Foundation speaking on the campaign, "21 Cents 4 Change!"

Did you know that of American women that work full time, year round, are only paid 79 cents for every dollar paid to men? And for women of color, the wage gap is even larger. This is the basis for the 21Cents4Change campaign. Gaylyn DeVine, the president of ABWF

will discuss what they are doing to promote pay equity and what you can do locally to help the cause.

DeVine is the owner of local Houston business TLS Graphics, a full service commercial printing company. She has been active in the American Business Women's Association for many years serving as the 2013-2014 National Secretary – Treasurer, District Vice President for the Board of Directors from 2012-2013, and as a Trustee for the Stephen Bufton Memorial Educational Fund from 2012-2014.

Expand your network, grow your business skills, reach a new audience, or advance your career with the Women Empowering Women Express Network of ABWA. WEWEN meets the first Wednesday of each month from 11AM-1PM. Additional details and luncheon registration (\$25) are available at wewen.org. Contact communications@wewen.org with questions.

About ABWA

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Assassin and ambush bugs have 3 segmented piercing-sucking mouthparts. These bugs come in a variety of colors with assassin bugs usually being darker in color than ambush bugs. Assassin bugs also have a more elongated head compared to ambush bugs. Ambush bugs have thickened front legs used to capture and hold prey. Immatures, or nymphs, look similar to the adults but do not have fully developed wings. Eggs are usually deposited in masses

and are cylindrical in shape.

While most assassin bugs are beneficial, the kissing bug or cone-nose bug is considered a pest. Kissing bugs feed on blood of mammals, including humans.

For assassin bugs that are feeding on insects, control is not required. For more information on kissing bugs see this site <https://kissingbug.tamu.edu/>

For more information or help with identification, contact Wizzie Brown, Texas AgriLife Extension Service Program Specialist at 512.854.9600. Check out my blog at www.urban-ipm.blogspot.com

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Cy-Fair Emergency & Imaging Center (at Barker Cypress & FM 529)
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Cy-Fair Emergency & Imaging Center (at Beltway 8 & Tanner Rd.)
5655 W. Sam Houston Parkway N. Houston, Texas 77041

* According to the American Cancer Society

**Tomosynthesis. (3D mammography) an FDA approved imaging technology designed for early breast cancer detection, is available here.



CyFairHospital.com

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Evening & weekend appointments available.



Cypress Texas Tea Party

The next meeting of the Cypress Texas Tea Party will be on:

Saturday, April 15, 2017 NOON - 2:00 PM

- To Be Determined

Saturday, May 6, 2017 NOON - 2:00 PM

- Alan Bragg, Police Chief, CFISD

The Cypress Texas Tea Party meets every three weeks on Saturday

Noon until 2:00 PM at:

Spring Creek BBQ

25831 Northwest Freeway

Cypress, Texas 77429

Map: <http://goo.gl/maps/OoNjY>

A schedule of our meetings and confirmed speakers can be found at our website, www.cypresstexasteaparty.org



Cy-Fair Republican Women April Meeting

Tuesday, April 11th will be CFRW

General Meeting from 10:30 AM - Noon.

Meeting is \$3 -- Meeting w/Lunch at Noon is \$23.

Hearthstone Country Club

7615 Ameswood, Houston, TX 77095

All are welcome! Come and enjoy like-minded fellowship and relevant speakers. Our goals include educating our community about the workings of all levels of government and each of us has a voice.

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We look forward to seeing you there!

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Free Event for Families

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Ever wondered what it might be like the last week with Jesus? Come experience it for yourself! Journey to the Cross is an interactive, self-guided tour through Jesus' last week. Imagine what life was like during this miraculous time in history as you get your hands washed, and smash some olives, taste the foods of the Passover Festival, experience the tomb, and listen to the storyteller recount Jesus' last week. Collect your interactive booklet that you will take on your journey, and use at home to remind you of the story of Jesus.

This is a hands-on learning experience for the whole family to share together. Don't miss this living, interactive recreation of the Jesus' last week. Journey to the Cross is for families who would like to experience the sacrifice Jesus made for each of us as we prepare for Easter.

All Ages are welcome! The event is free!



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\$176,000--\$200,999	4	7	2	2	3	2	0	2	1	1
\$151,000--\$175,999	3	0	2	1	3	0	1	2	0	1
\$141,000--\$150,999	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
\$121,000--\$140,999	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
\$101,000--\$120,999	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
\$100,000 and below	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	10	15	9	4	7	3	4	8	1	5
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